

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
for the  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

Thomas R. McLean, MD                          )  
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Plaintiff,                                        )  
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v.   ) Civil Action No. 4:20-CV-593-BP  
Jeffery W. Bruce,                                )  
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Defendant.                                        )

**PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO STAY THESE PROCEEDINGS**

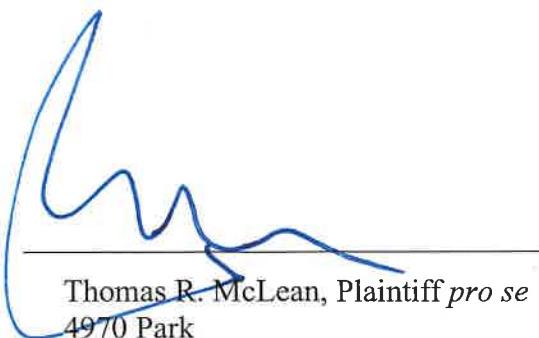
COMES NOW, Thomas R. McLean M.D., as a *pro se* Plaintiff in the above caption action to respectfully request the Court stay these proceedings because of the Defendant's death.

1. Concurrently, Dr. McLean has filed a suggestion of Mr. Bruce's death; and a motion for substituted service upon Mr. Bruce's family.
2. Dr. McLean request a stay in these proceeding for period of time sufficient to allow Mr. Bruce's family to be served and time to respond.

WHEREFORE, Dr. McLean's claims against Defendant Bruce survive his death, Dr. McLean respectfully requests this Court to stay these proceedings until such a time as the Defendant's family is able to make an appearance.

Respectfully Submitted,

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